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SUBJECT: OUTBREAK OF HOG CHOLERA

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1. DUTCH VETERINARY SERVICE REPORTS OUTBREAK OF HOG CHOLERA (BELIEVED TO BE C1 STRAIN) ON APRIL 1. AS OF APRIL 5, SEVEN FOCI HAD BEEN LOCATED AND TWO KILOMETER RADIUS QUARANTINES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED AROUND EACH.

2. TO DATE 14,500 HOGS HAVE BEEN SLAUGHTERED. WHOLESale VACCINATION PROGRAM WILL START MONDAY, APRIL 8, AT WHICH TIME SOUTHERN NETHERLANDS

(SOUTH OF RHINE RIVER, EAST OF HIGHWAY RUNNING FROM EINDHOVEN TO UTRECHT) WILL BE QUARANTINED.

3. SLAUGHTER OF PIGS HAS BEEN SUSPENDED IN SOUTHERN NETHERLANDS EXCEPT FOR ANIMALS BROUGHT DIRECTLY TO SLAUGHTERHOUSES FROM UNCLASSIFIED

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OUTSIDE QUARANTINE AREA.

4. FYI - AREA TO BE QUARANTINED APRIL 8 HAS APPROXIMATELY HALF
OF NETHERLANDS SWINE POPULATION. EXPORTS OF LIVE HOGS, BOTH
SLAUGHTER AND BREEDING, HAS BEEN AT RATE OF 800,00 HEAD/YEAR,
MAINLY TO ITALY.
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